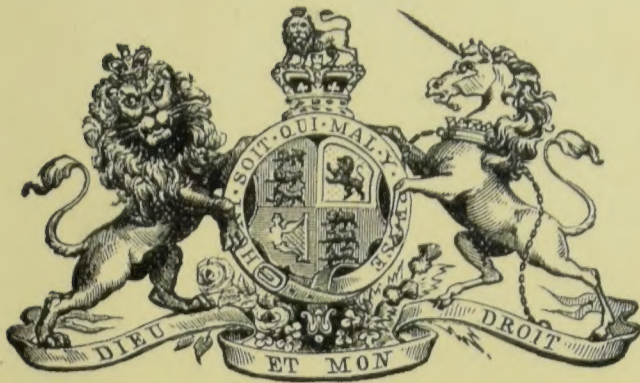


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HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor directs the publication of the following Proclamation and Notices received from the Honourable the Secretary of State for Canada.

J. D. PRENTICE,  
*Provincial Secretary.*

*Provincial Secretary's Department,  
26th January, 1901.*

[L.S.] MINTO.  
CANADA.

## A PROCLAMATION.

EDWARD VII., by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, KING, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

*To all to whom these presents shall come or whom the same may in anywise concern,—GREETING:*

DAVID MILLS, } WHEREAS, Saturday, the second day of February, has been fixed for the obsequies of Her late Majesty, Our Royal Mother of blessed and glorious memory:

And whereas, well knowing that Our deep grief is shared by Our loving subjects in Canada, We are desirous to afford them an opportunity of testifying their sorrow and their sympathy with Us in the grievous affliction which has befallen Us and them:

Now, therefore, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada, to appoint and set apart, and We do hereby appoint and set apart, Saturday, the second day of February next, as a day of general mourning, to be observed by all persons throughout Our Dominion of Canada.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin, the Right Honourable Sir GILBERT JOHN ELLIOT, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund, of Melgund,

County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom; Baron Minto, of Minto, County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain; Baronet of Nova Scotia; Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, &c., &c., Governor-General of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one, and in the first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

R. W. SCOTT,  
*Secretary of State.*

HERALD'S COLLEGE,  
24th January, 1901.

THE Earl Marshal's order for a general mourning for Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, in pursuance of an Order of His Majesty in Council, dated the 24th day of January, 1901. These are to give public notice that it is expected, that all persons upon the present occasion of the death of Her late Majesty, of blessed and glorious memory, do put themselves into deepest mourning, the said mourning to begin upon the 28th instant.

NORFOLK,  
*Earl Marshal.*

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
25th January, 1901.

Pursuant to the above Order, mourning will commence throughout the Dominion on Monday next, the 28th instant.

By Command of His Excellency.

HARRY GRAHAME,  
*Captain, A. D. C.,  
Acting Governor-General's Secretary.*

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